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SUBJECT: Acquisition Reform Day 2 - March 19, 1997

Last Spring, we were able to significantly increase the awareness of our Acquisition Reform Initiatives by holding an Acquisition Reform Day, a day dedicated to sharing techniques and benefits of our many Acquisition Reform initiatives.

In the spirit of continuous process improvement, I have designated March 19, 1997, as the Defense Department's second Acquisition Reform Day. The theme this year is "Teaming - the Catalyst for Making Acquisition Reform Initiatives the Norm." In addition to the government efforts we sponsored last year, my goal is to include Industry where appropriate. Inclusion of Industry will facilitate further our implementation of these initiatives and help accelerate the benefit stream.

I would appreciate your full support and participation in this event. Further details will be provided as the date approaches.

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